

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

TWELVTH YEAR

Successor to
HANSFORD HEADLIGHT

Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, October 15, 1920

Number 44

Beginning October 18, this Bank will close at 4:00 P. M.

We are Farmers and Stockgrowers

For your convenience we have arranged to get a daily cattle market report by wire. Call and avail yourself of this added service of the First National Bank.

A bank in any community is occupied in industries which its patrons are engaged in. We are therefore farmers and stockgrowers and recognize a distinct partnership relation with our depositors, for we succeed only as they succeed. It is to our interest to further their success by every legitimate cooperation we can offer, and by reason of our ample resources and connections, we are exceptionally equipped for that purpose. If you are not our customer now, we respectfully solicit your patronage, assuring you that your business will be appreciated and given our careful attention.

First National Bank of SPEARMAN

NEW SUFFRAGE POLL TAX LAW

All persons not having paid a poll tax prior to the first of February, 1920, and who may now apply to you any time from the 6th to the 22nd of the present month, for the purpose of paying a poll tax under the new law just enacted, should be given a 1919 poll tax receipt the same as you gave those paying prior to the first of February, 1920.

When making your monthly report, list them on Form No. 113 D, as supplemental poll tax collections.

The enactment of the law is merely an extension of the time until the 22d of October, in which either men or women can pay their 1919 poll tax, and have the privilege of voting at the November election or any election prior to February 1, 1921.

As the tax collector begins collecting the 1920 taxes on the first of October, it will be possible and also legal for a person to pay two poll taxes from the 6th to the 22d of October, one for 1919 and one for 1920.

Very truly yours,
M. L. WIGINTON,
Comptroller

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Grain burns occasionally before or while being cut. Let us write you a policy on your grain while standing. Then, the same policy will cover in the shock or stack and in the grainary when threshed. Let us explain it to you.

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Phone 37

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Vaccinate your calves against Blackleg. Do it now.

We have secured the agency for

"CONTINENTAL SERUM"

Calves insured against loss—with tag in ear—at a saving of almost half the old price.

Hale Drug Company
SPEARMAN

The Store with the Up-Town Service

SPEARMAN HIGH SCHOOL

The Reporter failed to mention last week that Miss Nellie Hart is a member of the faculty. Miss Hart teaches History and English. The attendance this week is almost 150, and is steadily increasing. Through the liberality of some of the Spearman citizens, the girls have outfitted two basket ball courts and the boys one. Basket ball is the favorite pastime now and many of the larger students are becoming quite proficient in the game.

Swings and see-saws will be provided for the kiddies in the near future. The equipment is arriving and each day finds the faculty better prepared to do the work. Come to Spearman to make your home and enter your children in the Spearman High School.

ACTUAL CONSTRUCTION BEGAN

The laying of brick and tile on the Hale Drug Company building was begun Wednesday morning and will be continued as speedily as possible until it is finished. Contractors Price & Son have the work in charge and are going ahead with it in a business-like way. This will be Spearman's first brick store building. There are several cement block residences in town, but the Hale Drug Company are the first to break the dirt in the business section for a building other than of lumber. The building will be 25x100 feet with a fine large basement underneath, which will give Mr. Hale plenty of room, and he intends to fit up one of the very best drug stores in the southwest.

A GENTLE HINT

If the loan is out, the party of parties who took a stove and other things from the "Orphan Home," on section 181, north of Medlin home, will please return the same to the Medlin home.

L. G. THOMPSON.

What is it???

Want to buy a second-hand book case. Apply at the Reporter office.

Rulers for school children. Call at the Ford garage and get a ruler before you go to school Monday.

When in Perryton and need anything in diamonds, watches or jewelry see W. H. DUNLAVY.

Fortunately we have the merchandise to fill your wants and satisfaction is guaranteed when you trade with P. Monkey Maize & Co.

ARRESTED ON BOOT-LEGGING CHARGE

Two young men giving their names as J. E. Freeman and Andrew Eudy were arrested by Sheriff Wilbanks Monday afternoon, on what the sheriff thought to be a clear case of bootlegging. The young men arrived in Spearman Monday morning and as their actions were a little suspicious the sheriff watched them closely. He did not find them selling anything, but when arrested one of the boys had a small bottle of the goods in his possession and several other bottles were found in their car. They were arraigned in Judge Townsend's court Tuesday morning and were bound over to await the action of the grand jury, which meets the third Monday in November. A bootlegger in Spearman is a curiosity. There has been less drunkenness and lawlessness in Spearman than in any new town we know of, and at this late hour it will be mighty hard for a whiskey peddler to do any large amount of business here before he is caught. Public sentiment is too strongly against this pernicious business, and the law is too plain and punishment too severe. The day of the bootlegger is gone. They can't get by with it—not in these parts. A few—a very few—of the boys still persist in loading up on hardware and groceries occasionally, but this practice will not continue long. This is a day of sanity and sobriety.

What is it???

About twenty-five good shoats for sale. See Joe Welch, Spearman.

Lost—Between Texhoma and the Lowe Wagon Yard on the Hansford road, a blue suit coat. Finder please return to the Reporter office.

Warren Price, bricklayer, came from Belle Plain, Iowa, last week and will be associated with his father, R. B. Price, in the brick and cement construction business.

John R. Collard has been under the weather of late, suffering with tonsillitis and other complaints. He is up and around at the present, but is still rather weak and not going strong as usual.

T. I. Harbour and family were in from their farm ten miles east of town Wednesday, shopping. Mr. Harbour says farmers in his section are needing rain, but says the wheat is holding on fairly well.

Frank Ellerson, a barber from Knowles, Oklahoma, is now employed at the Spearman barber shop. Mr. Ellerson will move his family here as soon as he can dispose of some property at Knowles and find a residence here.

Volney Grant, familiarly known as "chuck," came from the Coble ranch the latter part of last week and will enter school here Monday. Volney is no longer chunky, but has grown up to be quite a manly-looking fellow and his entering school is certainly a step in the right direction.

Sam J. Kelly and family arrived from their former home at Texhoma Monday and are at home in the residence they recently purchased in the west part of town. Mr. Kelly also owns a fine farm one mile south of town, but will make his home in Spearman during the present school term that their children may have the benefit of Spearman's splendid high school.

Mr. Farmers: You market in Texhoma, what about your banking? Texhoma has now a new bank, a service institution, the Farmers State. The present owners also own the Oklahoma Farm Mortgage company, Oklahoma City, and twenty-five more of the oldest banks of the state. Your account is solicited with the assurance we are fully able to take care of your needs both in banking and farm loans. 291f

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Brandt returned Saturday from a several weeks' visit at their old home at Chapel Hill, Texas. Mr. Brandt reports a short cotton crop in that usually high productive section of the state, but without the cost of production decreases or the price of the product increases, the cotton farmer is just as well off with a short crop as with a bumper crop. The way of the cotton farmer is indeed a rocky one.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. C. W. King on Wednesday, October 20. It is earnestly desired that all the Baptist ladies attend this meeting, and an invitation is extended to the ladies of all other churches to attend, also. It is to be a general get acquainted and get together meeting, that the church work may be carried on more easily and satisfactorily. Ladies, don't forget the date and be sure to attend this meeting.

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

The better schools campaign has for its purpose the adoption of the proposed Constitutional amendment to remove the present limit on local taxes for school purposes.

The adoption of this amendment is of utmost importance to the public schools and the people of the state, the very life of the schools and the benefits of an enlightened citizenship depending upon its adoption;

Now, therefore, in line with the policy pursued throughout the course of my administration, I, W. P. Hobby, governor of Texas, urge all loyal Texans to exert every possible effort in bringing about the adoption of the proposed amendment and in order to give greater publicity to this all important subject, I hereby designate the week of October 24-30 as Better Schools Week in Texas.

Throughout the week of October 24-30, the people of cities, towns and rural communities are urged to assemble in mass meetings for the discussion of the proposed amendment. Newspapers throughout the state are requested to give publicity to the purposes of the amendment and to advocate the cause of its adoption for the betterment of education in their daily and weekly editions.

Let all loyal and public spirited citizens respond to this call to the end that the constitutional shackles be stricken from public education and the schools of Texas take a higher rank among the schools of the nation.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and caused the seal of state to be hereon impressed at Austin, Texas, this 8th day of October, A. D. 1920.

W. P. HOBBY,
Governor of the State of Texas.
By the Governor:
EDWIN SPENCER,
Acting Secretary of State.

What is it???

Mrs. Lyman J. Hillhouse went to Perryton Wednesday to have dental work done by Dr. Jarvis.

For quick service and no your jewelry for repair.

W. H. DUNLAVY, Perryton
See our fall and winter line of sam-
ples before ordering your up-to-date
suit.

P. MONKEY MAIZE & CO.

John S. Harris and W. S. McNabb came from Guymon Tuesday to look after business matters in Spearman.

John L. Hays went to Amarillo Sunday to be present Monday morning at a meeting of Overland automobile salesmen.

Dr. Haney reports the arrival of a fine girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ned January, out east of Spearman, on Friday of last week.

J. C. McSpadden, the Spearman-Guymon mail man, says he is short one overcoat and the mornings are quite cool out near Oslo.

List your ranch, farm or law prairie land with me. Or if you want to buy, see or write me. GEO. M. TOCKEY, Booker, Texas. 261f

Send me your watch and jewelry repair work by mail. All work guaranteed. W. H. DUNLAVY, Perryton, Texas.

Mrs. John L. Hays returned the latter part of last week from Geary, Oklahoma, where she spent almost a month under the care of a specialist.

M. G. Whipple, brother-in-law of Attorney Fred Hill, was a guest at the latter's home in Spearman several days the past week. Mr. Whipple's home is in Slaton.

The new bank at Texhoma, the Farmers State, under new management, has grown to about three times its size of a year ago. Your account will be appreciated and your business handled to suit you. 291f

Rev. D. W. Rig, the Baptist minister who held a series of meetings at the Baptist church in Spearman last week, returned Monday to Amarillo. Rev. Rig is an able minister and his sermons were highly enjoyed by those who attended the meetings.

Gus B. Coots came from Dalhart Wednesday to look after business matters in Spearman and visit his ranch on the Palo Duro. Cattlemen are in good spirits as to the outlook for wintering their herds, though they are not at all pleased with the price of cattle at the present.

R. W. Morton, the Ford dealer, was in the city several days this week looking after business interests on this end of the line. The recent great reduction in the price of Ford products has caused business to pick up at a rapid rate at Mr. Morton's salesrooms at Spearman and Dumas.

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Surprise Yourself



Keep an accurate account of all the money you spend in a month and what you spend it for. It will surprise you.

Then resolve to bank the amount you have heretofore been spending unwisely.

You will never regret the resolution if you act.

Guaranty State Bank

SPEARMAN, TEX.

BETTER SCHOOLS CAMPAIGN

Hon. Pat M. Neff, Democratic nominee for governor of Texas, on being asked for an expression concerning the Educational Amendment to be voted on November 2, 1920, in the general election, made the following statement:

"As a citizen of Texas I always have been, am now, and shall continue to be interested in the promotion of the cause of education, the education of the masses of the people being, in my opinion, our best safeguard against socialism, bolshevism, and anarchy, and our best guarantee of sound, democratic government and industrial prosperity.

"I believe all our public schools, rural and urban, as well as institutions of higher learning, should be adequately financed, and wisely and economically administered. I am particularly interested in the country public schools of Texas, upon which the farm girls and boys are largely dependent for educational opportunities. I want to see rural high schools established at suitable points in the rural sections of the state, so that our farm girls and boys may attend good high schools in the country, organized and conducted under rural environment. This is one means of stopping the rapid movement of the people of the country to the city. Such rural high schools should, also, be made social centers for all the people, being common property of all the people of the community. I shall vote for the proposed amendment of the Constitution in the general election, because the said amendment will give the right to the people of the rural communities of Texas to provide financially for better support of the public free schools for the education of their own girls and boys."

RESIDENCE FOR SALE

I will sell my residence, three rooms and well built, near the old town of Hansford. This place is known as the Elmer Hays old homestead. A bargain for some one who wants to buy a good residence. See

MRS. SALLIE CLARK,
Spearman, Texas.

Clearance sale of Paint. Paint now for winter. Panhandle Lumber Co.

GAMBLE-NOLLNER

Mrs. Clytie Pearl Gamble and William C. Nollner were united in marriage at Guymon on Sunday, October 10, 1920. The contracting parties are quite well known in this community. The bride was formerly Miss Pearl Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Beck of Guymon, and the groom is a prosperous stock farmer of the Kimbal community. Their many friends wish for Mr. and Mrs. Nollner much happiness and prosperity.

WILBANKS-STEWART

Monday Miss Ouida Wilbanks and Pearl Stewart gave their friends quite a surprise by announcing their marriage, which occurred Sunday, September 26, at Beaver, Oklahoma. Ouida is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilbanks and is one of the most popular girls of the younger set. Paul is manager of the Perryton Light and Power Co. here and an A-1 good fellow. The Herald joins their many friends in wishing them success.—Perryton Herald.

Binder wine, 18 1/2 cents per pound at the Spearman Equity Exchange.

Why Experiment

O. M. Franklin's vaccine has been your standard protection against loss from Blackleg for years. It has never failed you and never will.

This vaccine is guaranteed protection and is administered free

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LOANS

Any size tracts and at prices and terms to suit. Spearman town lots and acreage—desirable locations.

Oil Leases

I am in the market for Oil Leases.

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Unlimited amount of money to loan on Farms and Ranches in Hansford, Hutchinson and Ochiltree counties. Interest rate and settlement options very attractive.

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SPEARMAN, TEXAS

RISK NOTHING—GAIN EVERYTHING
Trade with P. Monkey Malze & Co.

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The Perfectly New line of Fall and Winter goods is arriving daily. Our new ready-to-wear department will be complete with new Coats, Ladies' Suits, Dresses, Middies, Etc.

The ladies are cordially invited to call and inspect this High Class Stock.

The pleasure will all be ours to show the goods.

The finest quality in High Class

GROCERIES

is none too good for our customers
WE HAVE 'EM.

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One Price to all

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One New 14-Foot Eclipse Mill at . \$135.00
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We are making deliveries now.
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FRESH CORN MEAL—Ground on an old-fashioned stone burr mill—the best meal in the world.

Re-cleaned seeds, mixed and ground feed, block or crushed salt. I will buy your cream.

West Side

SPEARMAN

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ORAN KELLY, EDITOR-MANAGER

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BUNK!

There has from time to time appeared in the leading publications of this great and democratic country, articles advocating the nomination of a business man for president. But when the conventions are held we get the same old dose. No one but a lawyer or a politician has a chance. The people are getting mighty sick, nauseated and sore at the obvious graft and chicanery used both in the nomination and election of the figure-heads we have been electing to fill this great and important office. So I therefore take this opportunity to nominate Henry Ford, the pioneer anti-profitteer, for president, on a platform containing the following three planks:

1. Compensation for our soldiers.
2. Nation-wide initiative and referendum and recall.
3. Penitentiary for profiteers.

You will hear some who will ridicule this article. But I serve notice that 90 per cent of them will belong to either the capitalist or employer class. Most workmen and soldiers would favor it.

Ford, the great benefactor, who took 10,000 hunkies, wops and Bohunks and taught them to live in cleanliness and to desire education for their children; who was one of the great progenitors of the thrift movement; who opposed a bloody and apparently useless war and whose efforts toward peace were ridiculed by 90 per cent of the owned press and 98½ per cent of the cartoonists.

Ford, the pioneer in price reduction of commodities while still holding wages at their present scale; the greatest man this or any other country has produced since Lincoln.

I desire in this humble way to hand him a bouquet, while he is still alive and with us. You want a business man for president? Is Henry a business man? I'll say he is. Good-bye—don't shoot. I thank you.

LABORER.

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS URGE FUNDS BE PLACED IN U. S. SECURITIES

Montreal, Canada—The Fortieth Convention of the American Federation of Labor, by unanimous vote, declared regular and systematic investment in Government securities a part of its permanent policy for the benefit of its members and the welfare of the country. The resolution bearing on this subject reads in part: "The American Federation of Labor reiterates its former endorsement and approval of the plan of the Savings Division of the United States Treasury Department now being operated in each of the Federal Reserve Districts.

"All International Unions and Federal Unions are urged to advocate Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps and Registered Treasury Savings Certificates as the best and safest method for saving and investment their members can adopt, against the schemes of those who are now undertaking to take advantage of the Government's savings program and the savings habit formed during the war by introducing thrift systems in industry, through which they will make a profit from the savings of workers."

The convention also recommended local unions place their funds in government securities, buy Liberty and Victory Notes and hold them to maturity. The convention's final resolution asked that the government continue and extend the savings work through each of the Federal Reserve Districts.

HOLD YOUR LIBERTY BOND FOR SAME REASON YOU BOUGHT IT

"Whatever your motive for buying Liberty Bonds," says Scribner's Magazine, "the same motives should impel you to manage your investment thoughtfully. Usually selling bonds is unwise as well as unpatriotic. If money is needed for an emergency, money can be borrowed at the bank with the bond as security. If selling a Liberty Bond can not be avoided, sell it through a banker or broker of known integrity, who has facilities for handling it at very small cost."

"He who spends more than he earns treads the path thieves have trod since the invention of jacks; only luck can keep him from reaching its end. Live within your income; give your dollars a chance to work for you. Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps and Registered Treasury Savings Certificates are within the reach of every one not on the thief's road."

The laborer works for his money; the capitalist's money works for him. Put \$4.20 in a War Savings Stamp and be a capitalist.

The American people spend more money annually for tobacco and chewing gum than the entire issue of Liberty Bonds.

PRICES

are going down, and
the Equity will lead.

Prices are tumbling. This includes wheat, hogs, petroleum, silver and rubber. Rice, beans, paper, apples, lumber and pig iron are selling above normal. Cotton has fallen from 42 to 22 cents per pound. This is the period of readjustment and reconstruction. There is no dodging it. Those who dance must pay the fiddler, says the Fort Worth Record. The Spearman Equity Exchange will meet every decline in price on commodities sold by us.

Light's Best Flour, per cwt. . \$6.50
Extra grade coffee, per lb. . .35

Meat and Lard, Potatoes, Canned Goods—everything in the grocery line is declining in value, and we intend to stay in the lead in this price outting crusade.

Car Load of

**APPLES,
POTATOES and
CABBAGE**

in transit. The price will be right.

The Spearman Equity Exchange

R. L. MCGLELLAN, Manager

Coming Events in Suits



SUCH essential things as suits, and other clothes for the street, are launched by their manufacturers long before the season for their wearing is at hand. This must be done so that merchants may buy them a little in advance of the time when they are needed. September finds the public interested and October finds them buying very briskly their practical clothes for general wear and there is considerable business earlier, for outfitting young women who are going away to school.

It is for the benefit of such fortunate young persons that the very attractive suit shown in the illustration is offered for consideration in August. It is one of many attractive creations that are specially well adapted to the lines of youthful figures. Drawing such conclusions as may be gathered this early in the season, skirts are to vary considerably in width, the extremely narrow ones not appealing to people of the best judgment and there are really not any models that can be called severe in line among the new coats. Skirts may be plain or plaited. Coats are a matter for rejoicing, having those vague outlines that are

Julia Bottomly

SEE

C. W. KING

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Farm and Ranch Lands

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Terms to suit. Any size tracts.

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time, trouble and expense by buying your GAS and OILS

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You will not be disappointed when you give our goods a trial.

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Spearman, Texas
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The new bank at Texhoma, Farmers State, are now representing the Oklahoma Farm Mortgage Co. in all this territory, having direct charge of seven counties in the Panhandle. If you need a farm loan quick, see us.

One nearly new two-ton Nash for sale or trade. See R. P. Kern

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STORAGE BATTERY
TRADE MARK REGISTERED


THERE is one thing
about our business that
interests you all the time—
that is the matter of getting
top-notch service and long
life out of the battery on your
car. That means a job for
you and a job for us. Even
batteries with Threaded
Rubber Insulation must be
kept charged and must have
water put in once in a while.

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Recharged and
Repaired

VULCANIZING—Bring us your old Tires
and Tubes. We will make them new.

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L. S. CATOR, President BUSTER CATOR, Manager

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L. S. CATOR & SON

Goodrich and Portage Tires and Tubes.

High grade Gas
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Good mechanics always on the job to look
after your car troubles.

We usually have a bargain in a second
hand car. Come to see us when in need
of anything in the automobile line.

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The "Monroe"

The Latest and best in a
Moderate Priced Car

L. S. CATOR & SON
SPEARMAN

The Auto Service Co.

Spearman
Successors to Larkin & Son

Automobile Repair Work
of the very best. Satisfaction
or no pay.

Tires, Tubes, Accessories
GAS and OILS

MIZAR & PAUL, Props.

Near the Equity
Exchange

Call and get
acquainted

**SAGHALIEN: A LONG TIME
POLITICAL PERPLEXITY**

The island of Saghalien, recently subject of diplomatic correspondence between the United States and Japan, has been a political perplexity both to Russia and Japan for many years. Soon after the Pilgrim Fathers landed on the east coast of North America, a Japanese feudal baron dispatched an agent to this far northern island of the group that swings south from Siberia, at the mouth of the Amur, to Formosa and Fukien on the China coast. Within twenty years after that the Russians had landed on Saghalien.

The Japanese subsequently made several trips of inspection but a small handful of Russian colonists remained and today the majority of the permanent inhabitants of Saghalien are Russian, while to the Japanese it is little more than a summer fishing resort.

In 1853 Russia sent an ambassador to Nagasaki and a band of troops to Saghalien. While the ambassador conducted negotiations the troops built a fortress but, after repeated attempts, the boundary question was still unsettled.

By 1875 the sea-going Japanese gave up all rights in Saghalien to the Russians in return for full rights in the Kurile Islands and this condition of affairs continued until the Treaty of Portsmouth which gave southern Saghalien, up to the fiftieth parallel, to Japan.

Japanese Saghalien has little agricultural land but has large forests of both deciduous and evergreen trees, amounting to more than 8,000,000 acres. Japanese paper mills are situated in Otomari and elsewhere and an effort is being made to develop the papermaking industry.

But it is on fishing that the majority of the Japanese inhabitants depend for a living. As soon as the summer season is over the fishermen migrate to the southern islands of Japan for the winter. Mauka, on the west coast of Saghalien, is the center of the crab fisheries and much of the crab flake consumed in the Far West comes from this little town. A post road connects Mauka with Toyohara, which is the capital of Karafuto, the name which the Japanese have given to the southern part of Saghalien.

Saghalien has less than sixty miles of railway and white, red or blue lines are painted across the windows of the cars to prevent the people from trying to stick their heads through the glass.

The average annual temperature of Saghalien is near the freezing point and if the Japanese are ever to colonize the island they will have to change their methods of dressing and building.

Karafuto has much coal and there is considerable gold, but in the past the Russian residents have largely confined their efforts to farming and the Japanese to fishing.

Saghalien has not been developed to any great extent, but what natural development has taken place has been done more by the Russian exiles whose permanent homes were there than by the Japanese whose fishing camps and trading centers have dotted the shoreline.

**VERA CRUZ: TRAVERSING
A CONTINENT IN 75
MILES**

"While fully aware of the high percentage of error most sweeping assertions contain, I nevertheless venture to claim that the country lying between the cities of Vera Cruz and Mexico City possesses more varied natural attractions than any other area of similar extent in the world."

This is the statement of Frank M. Chapman, in a communication to the National Geographic society concerning Vera Cruz, which figures so conspicuously in news dispatches from Mexico. Doctor Chapman continues:

"Be one student or tourist, there can be no question that one should enter Mexico from the gulf. A journey from the coast to the capital follows a natural succession of climatic zones as well as the sequence of early historic events.

"The day, indeed, should begin at sunrise, some hours before disembarking at Vera Cruz, with a hope that one may have the rare good fortune to see the first rays of the sun touch the summit of Mt. Orizaba, the first, as it will be among the most lasting, of one's impressions of Mexico. The shore is still some 30 miles distant, the mountain itself about 160 miles, and one is with difficulty convinced that the gleaming pink cloud high above the horizon is part of the still invisible earth beneath it. Doubtless the Aztecs were not familiar with this view of Mt. Orizaba, but from no other place is their name for it—Citlaltapeti (the Star Mountain)—so applicable.

"Time was when Vera Cruz was dreaded as a pest-hole, and trains at once took one from the steamer up the Sierras on the way to Mexico City, usually as far as Orizaba. Now, however, sanitary conditions and hotel accommodations have been so improved that one may stay here without danger or discomfort.

"In our journey from the gulf to the summit of the Sierras we pass through tropical, temperate and boreal zones—the Tierras Caliente, Templada and Fria of the native. Our actual journey, in passing from sea level to snow-line, may be a matter of 75 miles, our change of altitude approximately three miles; but if we were to seek the Canadian zone not on mountain top but on the coast, it would be necessary for us to travel to Maine or Nova

**Announcing the
Opening of the**

**Spearman
TAILOR SHOP**

Fall and winter lines of samples are now on display. Call and make your selections. I represent four of the best tailoring establishments in the country: Lamm & Company, Royal Tailoring Company, J. L. Taylor and the National Tailoring Company. Let me order you a suit today.

Slashing Cut on Prices

Reductions range from \$3.50 to \$11.50 per suit on 49 fabrics. This means a 15 to 30 per cent discount.

Cleaning and Pressing

I have just installed a brand new Hoffman Triple A steam press and am prepared to do your cleaning and pressing as it should be done. Ladies, your garments will not be "shiny" when they come from this press.

SID CLARK, Manager

North Main : : : Spearman

Laundry Basket is Closed Monday Afternoon

Scotland. In other words, a journey of some 1,500 miles would be required to reach conditions which are here distant but three altitudinal miles.

"It follows, then, that one can actually stand in a tropical jungle, where parrots, trogons, toucans, and other equatorial birds are calling from the liana-draped trees, and look upward to forests of pines and spruce, where crossbills, juncos, pine siskins, and evening grosbeaks are among the common permanent resident species.

"Later we may ascend the snows on Orizaba to discover at approximately what altitude the palms of the Tierra Caliente give way to the oaks of the Tierra Templada, to be in turn replaced by the spruce of the Tierra Fria."

Satisfaction when you trade with P. Monkey Maize & Co. Our prices are so low—we give until it hurts.

Notice to the Public

I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four-horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquarters before getting the wood, otherwise you will be treated as trespassers. Positively no hunting allowed.

W. T. COBLE,
Owner of the Turkey Track ranch.

Notice

No hunting or fishing will be allowed in the Diamond C pastures, on the headwaters of the Palo Duro. These lands are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted.

JAMES H. CATOR & SON.

TO THE PUBLIC

Having posted my ranch, lying in the northeast corner of Hansford county, along the Palo Duro creek, as required by the law of Texas, this is to specially

call attention to any one fishing, hunting or trespassing in any way therein, that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

GUS B. COOTS,
36152* Owner of Palo Duro Ranch



Brands: Diamond C on left side slash on left hip.
Ear Marks: Crop on left & under half crop on right.
Range on headwaters of the Palo Duro.
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SPECIALISTS PREPARING OUTLINES FOR SCHOOLS FOR SAVINGS DIVISION

Dallas, Texas—Valuable suggestions, in the form of outlines, will be furnished to teachers of the Eleventh Federal Reserve District to aid them in conducting the "save and invest" campaign of the government in the schools this year, according to Director W. Hume, Federal District Director.

Material for primary grades will be prepared for the Division by Mrs. Ella F. Little, Primary Supervisor of Rural Schools, of the State Department of Education of Texas, said Mr. Hume. "A specialist in elementary school work will prepare suggestions to be sent teachers of fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades, to be used in connection with either language or history recitations, or both. Mr. L. H. Hubbard, Superintendent of City Schools, Belton, Texas, will prepare material for use by high school pupils in their English classes. Negotiations are under way for a specialist in history to furnish the Division outlines for use of high school classes and teachers of history.

"These suggestions will be usable in high school classes already organized; additional classes or periods will not be necessary. They will relate to matters discussed in text books, offer interesting side lights on topics there presented and show how they naturally develop into approval of the principles promulgated by the Savings Division. They are simple: earn something, live on something less, save, invest, put your savings where they are safe and earn something. When school children do this they will find Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps and Registered Treasury Savings Certificates most convenient in denomination, and safe, savings accounts in banks also meet with approval of this campaign."

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, A. D. 1918.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.
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POLAND ONCE THE SAVIOR OF EUROPE

Poland, whose history is tragedy and whose people have been called "Children of the Sun," plays no new role when she seeks to stop the onslaughts of the bolshevik, for it was she who once stayed the march of the Turk across Europe.

A communication to the National Geographic society sums up Poland's sad and eventful history as follows:

In size she outranked nearly every nation of the continent. Russia alone of the European nations is larger than Poland was at her greatest. In population she stood at the forefront of Europe. Only Russia and Germany had greater populations before the war than are to be found in the lands that once were Poland; for unpartitioned Poland had an area of 282,000 square miles, and the lands that once lay within her boundaries support a population of approximately 50 million. In area she was as large as the former German empire, Switzerland, Belgium, Holland and Denmark together; larger than Great Britain, Italy and Greece combined; larger than Austria-Hungary and Serbia in one. Within what were her boundaries there dwelt a present population of Great Britain and Belgium; larger than those of France, Belgium and Holland together; and matching that of the old Austria-Hungary.

Poland was three times partitioned, and these partitionings were readjusted between the partitioners by the Congress of Vienna in 1815. Where the original partitions had given Russia 181,000 square miles, Prussia 54,000 square miles, and Austria 45,000 square miles, the re-portionment of the Vienna Congress gave Russia 220,000, Prussia 26,000, and Austria 25,000 square miles. Much of the land which Russia secured, and particularly Kiev, had been identified with Russian generations before.

Poland, in the days of her greatest area, extended from a point within 50 miles of Berlin, on the west, to the meridian of the sea of Azov on the east; on the north it reached nearly to the Gulf of Finland and on the south down to the Khanate of Crimea.

What we now know as Russian Poland is that neck of territory stretching westward between the Prussias and Galicia. This territory has an area almost exactly equal to that of New York, yet, in spite of the fact that its extreme southern boundary lies north of the latitude of Winnipeg, its population is as great as those of New York and New Jersey combined.



Boys and girls who learn early to take proper care of their teeth, throats, eyes, ears and stomachs, have made a long step toward healthy manhood and womanhood. Through the public health and nursing services, the American Red Cross aims eventually to reach all school children with teachings regarding disease prevention and health promotion. Here's a school nurse treating a little girl for sore mouth, at the same time imparting a valuable lesson in tooth-brushing and proper diet.

Those Dodge and Ford curtains are still at the Reporter office. Will the owners please call, pay charges and take the same away.



REDUCTION IN PRICES OF FORD PRODUCTS

The war is over and war prices must go.

Effective at once Ford Cars, Trucks and Tractors will be sold f. o. b. Detroit at the following prices:

Touring, regular	-	-	\$440	Coupe with starter and demountable rims	-	745
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THE FORD MOTOR COMPANY makes this reduction in the face of the fact that they have on hand immediate orders for 146,065 cars and tractors. The Company will suffer a temporary loss while using up the material bought at high prices. They are willing to make the sacrifice in order to bring business back to normal conditions as quickly as possible and maintain the momentum of the buying power of the country.

Henry Ford says: "The war is over and it is time war prices were over. There is no sense or wisdom in trying to maintain an artificial standard of values. For the best interests of all it is time a real practical effort was made to bring the business of the country and the life of the country down to regular pre-war standards."

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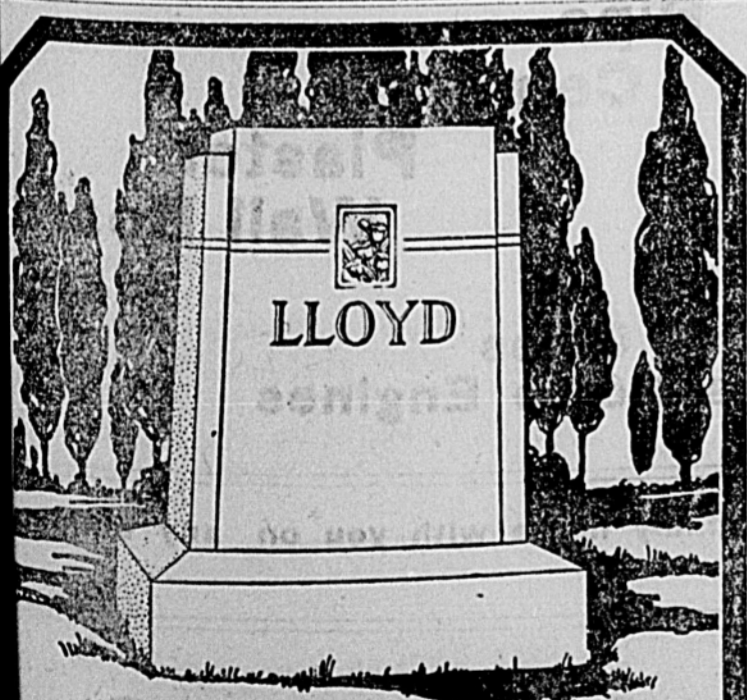
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QUACKS: ANCIENT AND MODERN

Do you regard cold cream as an ul-
tra-modern palliative?

Or pure food and drug laws as a com-
paratively recent type of legislation?

Or the familiar "cure all" as an up-
to-date quick device for the twentieth
century credulous?

You are wrong, according to the
statements contained in a communica-
tion from the National Geographic society
from Dr. John A. Foote. A part of
the communication states:

"Most people at some time or an-
other use cold cream. It seems quite
a modern luxury, indispensable alike
to peer and par, and adapted to many
and varied uses. In fact, one traveler
tells recently of having some of his
cold cream eaten by a fat hungry vial
in Germany. So we are inclined to re-
gard it as a fairly modern product.
And yet 'unguentum refrigerans,' cold
cream, has come down to us from Ro-
man days. The first formula is at-
tributed to Galen, who lived and wrote
in the second century. What we use
today is practically the same, though
Dr. Galen's original formula was im-
proved and 'improved' hundreds of
times.

"Emperor Frederick II. of Sicily, in
1240 or 1241, published the first pure
food and drug act. He was about 100
years ahead of Dr. Wiley, for he speci-
fied strict regulations of the standard
of drug purity, and provided for drug
inspectors, and fined all offenders.

"The practice of medicine was also
regulated. A physician was required
to have a diploma from a university
before he could study medicine; then
he took a three-year course in the
school of medicine and one year
practice under a practicing physician. Spe-
cial post graduate work in anatomy
was required if he was to do surgery.

"All this was in the so-called 'dark
ages.' Even the fees of physicians
and pharmacists were strictly regulat-
ed by law and were in purchasing val-
ue about the same as the charges of
the present day. Physicians were not
allowed to own drug stores and drug
adulterators were severely dealt with.

"Mithradatum was the name of the
great antidote of Roman pharmacy.
It had from 40 to 50 vegetable ingredi-
ents, few of which had any real medi-
cinal value except opium, and these
drugs were blended with honey.

"It remained for Nero's physician,
Andromachus, to put the finishing
touches to this wonderful compound.
Andromachus added viper's flesh to the
formula and called his new compound
Theriac. He wrote some verses dedi-
cated to Nero, describing this medicine
and claiming virtues for it which in
our day would subject him to prosecu-

tion. Evidently he believed he had
created in this one compound a veri-
table pharmaceutical monopoly.

"Galen, one of the fathers of medi-
cine, went even further. He recom-
mended it as a cure for all poisons,
bites, headaches, vertigo, deafness,
epilepsy, apoplexy, dimness of sight,
loss of voice, asthma, coughs, spitting
of blood, tightness of breath, colic, the
illiac passion (appendicitis), jaundice,
hardening of the spleen, stone, fevers,
dropsy, leprosy, melancholy, all pesti-
lences, etc. Nowadays he would prob-
ably have included coupon thumb, golf
shoulder and movie eye.

"As Galen's writings dominated medi-
cal thought for over 1,500 years, it is
not surprising that this advertisement
made Mithradatum, or Theriac, a
valued remedy. Every physician of
note for centuries afterward claimed
some improvement on the original for-
mula."



About 12,000,000 boys and girls, com-
prising nearly half the school popu-
lation of the United States, are members
of the Junior Red Cross, which is help-
ing the children of Europe, while at
the same time it is doing an important
work here at home. Kalltan Chetwolf,
who wears the engaging smile shown
in this picture, is the son of an In-
dian guide and trapper. He is the
youngest Junior living in the neigh-
borhood of Juneau, Alaska—and he sends
greetings to fellow Juniors of the United
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is absolutely possible. We guarantee
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Field Manager.

For further information see S. B.
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CLETRAC TRACTOR FOR SALE

Having finished plowing and seeding, I now have one Cletrac tractor and 5-disc plow for sale. Cash or good note. This tractor and plow are in first class condition. See Shorty Short or J. R. Collard, Spearman, Texas. 4013*

BUD BENNETT.

STRAY CATTLE

Cattle branded D on left hip strayed from pasture 4 miles south and 2 miles east of Spearman, belong to undersigned, who will appreciate information as to their whereabouts.
 C. O. DOGGETT, Spearman.

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of a Greek tribute-boy's genius, and relic of the reign of Selim II, the Louis XV of Turkey.

Yearly the Turks would seize a certain number of sons of their Christian subjects, and in Sinan they found they had acquired a skilled bridge builder. They allowed him to follow his bent, and the Shahzadeh at Constantinople, the Sultan at Stamboul and the third famed mosque at Adrianople were given to posterity. The Selimieh stands upon the highest hill in Adrianople and four lofty minarets tower far above a massive dome.

STEEL AFFECTED BY FIRE

Figures Gathered by the United States Bureau of Standards Reveal Stability of Structure.

Some interesting figures relating to the behavior of structural steel at the high temperature of ordinary fires have been given by the United States bureau of standards. Naturally, the strength of steel at high temperatures has a very important bearing upon the stability of a structure which may be subjected to fire. Without any protective covering, steel columns fall after only 10 or 15 minutes of exposure to temperatures such as are reached in ordinary fires. Resistance can be greatly increased by the use of coverings of brick, concrete, plaster, tile, etc., to such an extent that columns so protected are unaffected after several hours' exposure to intense heat, says the New York Evening Post.

Tests have been made to determine the compression strength of specimens of structural steel when heated in an electric furnace to temperatures corresponding to dull red heat (1,100 degrees Fahrenheit) and loaded up to 20,000 pounds per square inch. It was found that structural steel loaded to 10,000 pounds per square inch falls at about 1,075 degrees Fahrenheit, and under a load of 20,000 pounds per square inch failure occurs at 925 degrees Fahrenheit. For practical considerations, however, the limit of utility may be regarded as reached at temperatures of about 130 degrees Fahrenheit below those given above.

Teach Value of Foods.

The first laboratory for working out household food problems was installed in Teachers' college, New York city, a little more than ten years ago, says an exchange. The development of science has been extraordinary, the current ideas of the actual value of food in common use have been revolutionized by the work in these laboratories. When the war came, the government accepted without question the results of these investigations and the rations of American soldiers in France were fixed upon them.

One of the most interesting features of the laboratory is a complete flat, including kitchen, dining room, bedroom and bath. Students are selected who need such kinds of food and experimented upon for weeks at a time. In this way, many problems of the utmost importance were solved.

Making Wood Fire-Resisting.

Keeping wood wet, injecting certain chemicals, and coating with suitable paints, are the three methods of increasing resistance to fire that have been tested at the United States forest products laboratory. Though not the most effective, painting is the cheapest and most practicable treatment for wood in small amount. Ordinary calcimine or whitewash proves to be as resistant to fire as any paint. It is cheap and convenient to use; and while it does not prevent burning at high temperature it lessens the risk of spreading a blaze from burning cigarettes, sparks and matches. A paint of linseed oil, zinc borate and chrome green, which has been tried for outdoor use, retained its fire-resisting properties during more than three years of exposure to the weather.

Furs From New South Wales.

An important export trade in fur skins is being developed in the state of New South Wales, says Consul Edward J. Norton, Sydney, Australia, as instanced by the fact that various fur skins to the amount of 2,312,462 pounds, valued at \$7,000,000, were exported from Sydney during the six month period ended January 30, 1920,

excluding rabbit skins, which constitute a big item of export from Sydney. Fox skins are largely exported, and the foreign demand for kangaroo, opossum, wallaby and wombat skins is steadily increasing.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

To Robert E. Meek, W. H. Douglas, Thomas C. Spearman, J. A. Doggett and J. E. Hutchinson, non-resident land owners of Hansford county, Texas:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned jury of freeholders, acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' Court of Hansford county, Texas, will on the 6th day of November, A. D., 1920, proceed to lay out a public road commencing at the southeast corner of section No. 145, in Block 4T, Grantee T. & N. O. Ry. Co., in said county and running thence west along the south lines of sections 145, 146 and 147, in said Block 4T, to the southwest corner of said Section 147, a distance of three miles and terminating at said southwest corner, in Hansford county, and which may run thru certain lands owned by you, and we will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

Dated at Spearman, Texas, this the 11th day of October, A. D., 1920.
 J. R. COLLARD,
 JOHN L. HAYS,
 FRED W. BRANDT,
 Jury of View.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

To C. C. Patten, Thomas C. Spearman, J. D. Archer, W. L. Maddox, A. H. Storrs, J. R. Garner, Geo. L. Roland, W. H. Douglas, Ed Masters, John Dreessen, S. P. Cox, non-resident land owners of Hansford county, Texas.

You are hereby notified that the undersigned jury of freeholders, acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' Court of Hansford county, will on the 6th day of November, A. D., 1920, proceed to lay out a public road commencing at a point in the west boundary line of Survey No. 61 in Block No. R, Grantee A. B. & M., where the Hutchinson and Hansford county line crosses said west line of Survey No. 61, thence due north on the section lines to the northwest corner of Section No. 88, Block 4T, Grantee T. & N. O. Ry. Co., where the same will intersect what is commonly known as the Hansford-Ochiltree public road, and terminating at that point, in Hansford county, and which may run through certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

P. M. MAIZE,
 S. B. HALE,
 D. W. HAZELWOOD,
 EDD CLOSE,
 Jury of View.

IS YOUR HEALTH GRADUALLY SLIPPING?

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

Navasota, Texas.—Mrs. W. M. Peden, of this place, relates the following interesting account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was actually losing her health:
 "Health is the greatest thing in the world, and when you feel that gradually slipping away from you, you certainly sit up and take notice. That is what I did some time ago when I found myself in a very nervous, run-down condition of health. I was so tired and felt so lifeless I could hardly go at all.
 "I was just no account for work. I would get a bucket of water and would feel so weak I would have to set it down before I felt like I could lift it to the shelf. In this condition, of course, to do even my housework was a task almost impossible to accomplish.
 "I was . . . nervous and easily upset.

I couldn't rest well at night and was . . . just lifeless.
 "I heard of Cardui and after reading I decided I had some female trouble that was pulling me down. I sent for Cardui and began it . . .
 "In a very short while after I began the Cardui Home Treatment I saw an improvement and it wasn't long until I was all right—good appetite, splendid rest, and much stronger so that I easily did my house work.
 "Later I took a bottle of Cardui as a tonic. I can recommend Cardui and gladly do so, for if more women knew, it would save a great deal of worry and sickness."
 The enthusiastic praise of thousands of other women who have found Cardui helpful should convince you that it is worth trying. All druggists sell it. L. 78

Joe Edens Sells Out

Joe B. Edens, who has conducted an eating house in Spearman almost since the beginning of the town, on Tuesday sold his Cafe to Jess Hays and Chip Martin, who, with the assistance of Mrs. Dot Grant, will conduct the business in the future. Mr. Edens will return to his old home at Big Springs.

A Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each and every person in Spearman for contributing so liberally to our basket ball fund. Without your aid it would have been impossible for us to have raised a sum sufficient to maintain our basket ball teams and we feel that, with such loyal citizens backing us, we can have two of the most successful teams in this part of the state.
 Spearman Boy's and Girl's Basket Ball Teams.

What is it???

Ticked to death. And you cease to be tired when you trade with P. Monkey Maize & Co.

FRED HILL
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Spearman, - Texas

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Perryton, Texas

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